

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Soichi WAKATSUKI et al.
Appl. No.	:	10/763,897
Filed	:	January 23, 2004
For	:	APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TRAPPING MICRO- OBJECT
Examiner	:	Christine T. Mui
Group Art Unit	:	1797

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

This is an Amendment to the above-identified application in which a request for continued examination (RCE) has been filed herewith under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a). In response to the Advisory Action mailed April 22, 2008, please amend the application as follows and reconsider the present application in light of the amendments and the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.